

May 9, 1975

Mr. President, I move to strike the Lewis amendment.
Signed, Senator Frank Lewis.

PRESIDENT: Senator Lewis.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Yes, F. Lewis. The motion I move to strike here is the \$92,000 that we put into the special fund for flood prevention at Khris and Hansons Lake near Sarpe county. The reason I do that is I have conferred with the Attorney General.

PRESIDENT: What bill was that?

SENATOR F. LEWIS: LB 603 that we attached to.

PRESIDENT: The Governors emergency fund.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Yes. That's attached to the wrong bill then ... wrong amendment.

CLERK: Must be because there is no Frank Lewis amendment on this.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Alright, 604 is the one.

CLERK: Alright the next one, Mr. President. I move to amend LB 603. (Read amendment found on page 1726 offered by F. Lewis).

SENATOR F. LEWIS: Alright now I have the story straight. This is 603. I have to take it off on 604. In discussing the matter with the Attorney General and in discussing the matter with several people, we want to make sure that this is done in a legal fashion. What we are recommending, and you cannot specifically appropriate money to a designated area. You can designate money for a particular purpose. On the suggestion of several people, there's a \$2 million fund in the Natural Resource District. We're recommending here, on 604, that \$100,000 of that be designated for flood control and prevention, at which time the local people could then make their case to the NRD Board where the money is and could be appropriated in that fashion. I'd ask that you add the amendment here and take it off of 604.

PRESIDENT: The question is the adoption of Senator F. Lewis' amendment. Record your vote. Have you voted? Please vote. Record.

CLERK: Can't do it.

SENATOR F. LEWIS: No that's fine. I'm not asking that. I'm asking that the amendment be withdrawn from 604 then.

CLERK: Mr. President, the next amendment is offered by Senator Marvel. This is the typed page. (Read amendment found on page 1726 in Journal).